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Title: GAMING

MACHINE HAVING

SECONDARY

DISPLAY FOR

PROVIDING VIDEO CONTENT

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT A

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Dear Sir:

In order to place the above-identified application in better condition for examination, please amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel pending claims and add claims 29-52:

29. A gaming machine comprising:

a chassis defining a gaming machine interior region and a gaming machine exterior surface;

a gaming machine controller for controlling the outcome of a primary game played on said gaming machine;

a main display capable of presenting the outcome of the primary game on the gaming machine; and

a secondary display, which is a flat panel display, provided on said gaming machine at a location disposed apart from said main display and displaying video content including a secondary bonus game of chance play, wherein a single wager concurrently activates both the primary game and the secondary bonus game, and wherein the outcome of the secondary game depends only on at least one of (i) the number of plays on the primary game and (ii) the outcome of those plays on the primary game, without depending upon a race against a timer or against players on other gaming machines.

